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1: This application claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application Nos. 60/457,979, filed March 26, 2003, 60/284,066, filed April 16, 2001, 60/298,796, filed June 15, 2001 and 60/323,269, filed September 18, 2001, and U.S. Patent Application Nos. 10/124,800, filed April 16, 2002, and 09/231,899, filed January 14, 1999. The entire disclosure of the provisional applications and non-provisional applications is considered to be part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference. Enclosed for filing with the above-identified utility patent applicationn are the following:

2. Specification (Total Pages of Text, including Abstract and Claims: **159**)

3. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets: **3 Formal**)

4. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
   a. Computer Readable Copy
   b. Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)
   c. Attorney for applicants hereby asserts pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.821(f) that the content of the paper of computer readable copies of SEQ ID No:1 through SEQ ID No:82 submitted herewith are identical

5. Return Postcard (MPEP 503) *(should be specifically itemized)*

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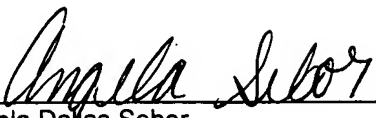|	(COL. 1) NO. FILED		(COL. 2*) NO. EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE	SMALL ENTITY FEE		LARGE ENTITY RATE	LARGE ENTITY FEE
BASIC FEE:					$385.00	OR		$770.00
TOTAL CLAIMS:	126	-	20	106 X $9 =		OR	X $18 =	$1,908.00
INDEP. CLAIMS:	11	-	3	8 X $43 =		OR	X $86 =	$688.00
X MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ $145 =		OR	+$290 =	$290.00
*IF THE DIFFERENCE IN COL. 2 IS LESS THAN ZERO, ENTER "O" IN COL. 2.				TOTAL:				$3,656.00

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